

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Ni *et al.*

Appl. No. To be assigned  
(Divisional of Appl. No. 08/741,095,  
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For: **Human Tumor Necrosis Factor  
Receptor-Like 2**

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**First Preliminary Amendment**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In advance of prosecution, please amend the captioned application as follows:

***In the Claims:***

Please cancel claims 1-20 and 22-26 without prejudice of or disclaimer to the subject matter therein.

***Remarks***

***I. Status of the Claims***

Claims 1-20 and 22-26 have been canceled. Accordingly, claim 21 is active in the present application. No new matter has been added by this amendment.

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